

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Environment and Forestry

Assembly Bill 679

Relating to: high capacity well approvals.

By Representatives Mursau, A. Ott, LeMahieu, Ripp and Brooks; cosponsored by Senators Kedzie, Gudex and Tiffany.

January 28, 2014 Referred to Committee on Environment and Forestry

January 30, 2014 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (7) Representative Mursau; Representatives Krug, Loudenbeck, Stroebel, Danou, Milroy and Clark.
Absent: (1) Representative Czaja.
Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Neal Kedzie - Senator - 11th Senate District
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Potato and Vegetable Growers Association
- Duane Maatz - Wisconsin Potato and Vegetable Growers Association
- Steve Diercks - Wisconsin Potato and Vegetable Growers Association
- Sandy Larson - Larson Farms

Appearances Against

- Amber Meyer Smith - Clean Wisconsin
- Gail Kretschmer - Protect Wood County and Its Neighbors
- Bruce Dimich - Protect Wood County
- Fred Olsen
- Lisa Conley - Town and Country RC&D
- Kara O'Connor - Wisconsin Farmers Union
- Mary Walters
- Jennifer Giegrich - Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters
- Helen Sourkinos - River Alliance of Wisconsin
- Kara O'Connor - Wisconsin Farmers Union
- MaryJo Walters

Appearances for Information Only

- Eric Ebbersberger - Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
- George J Kraft
- Ken Bradbury - Wisconsin Geological Survey

Registrations For

- Eric Bott - Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce
- John Manske - Cooperative Network
- Laura Riske - Dairy Business Association
- Nick George - Midwest Food Processors Association
- Paul Zimmerman - Wisconsin Farm Bureau
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Pork Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Cattlemen's Association
- Brian Dake - Wisconsin Independent Businesses
- Bob Welch - Wisconsin Corn Growers Association
- John Umhoefer - Wisconsin Cheesemakers Association
- Todd Bressmer - Wisconsin Agriculture Business Association

Registrations Against

- Christia Westerburg
- Barbara Gifford - Friends of the Little Plover River
- Katrina Shankland - Representative - 71st Assembly District
- Rick Potter - Protect Wood County
- Rick Potter - Central Wisconsin Grassroots Alliance
- James Gifford
- John Stangler
- Alfred Staugher
- Stacy Harbaugh - Midwest Environmental Advocates
- John Keckhaver - Wisconsin Lakes
- Robert A Wright - Protect Wood County
- Jerry Knuth - Wisconsin Wildlife Federation
- Todd Holschbach - Wisconsin Nature Conservancy
- Mitchell Nussbaum
- Genie Ogden
- Bernie Schlafke
- Dawn Egan
- Paula Mohan
- Ruth Simpson
- Megan Severson - Wisconsin Environment

- Erin O'Brien - Wisconsin Wetlands Association

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

April 08, 2014

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1

Tim Gary
Committee Clerk